

R AND MRS. EDWARD F. BEALE have sed invitations for a dinner before the or Collion, on January 11, in honor of their cater, Miss Hope Truxton Beale. The guests schide Miss Almee Hutchinson, Miss Kath-Ashhurst Bowle, Miss Ruth Coxe, Miss Scull, Henry Beylard, Saunders L. ie W. Hare Davis, W. Lawrence Saunders. Ston Cromwell and Donald Tucker, of New The dinner will be served in the Pink Mr. and Mrs. Beale also gave a large tre party, followed by supper at the Ritza last night.

iss Elinor Judd Bean, daughter of Mr. and Charles H. Bean, will be guest of honor dinner to be given by Mrs. John Bains Col-3d, of Wallingford, on Friday, January Covers will be laid for 12.

and Mrs. Frank Granger Kennedy, of 2043 ce street, will give a small breakfast on Bay, January 22, in honor of Miss Elinor Bean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles

ns. Carl Austin, northwest corner of 22d and ust streets, will be at home informally on irday afternoon, January 15, from 4 until 5 ok Miss Marguerite Waters, of Greenwich, a, formerly of Baltimore, who will be Mrs. in's guest at that time, will receive with

as Saturday Mrs. Austin will give a chila's party for her little daughter and son, Terrell Austin and Carl Austin, Jr.

. Walter Jackson Freeman, of 1832 Spruce et, will not receive tomorrow afternoon, but be at home as usual on the following Suns until April 1.

win S. Cobb will talk before the Neutral Cross Relief Circle on Friday, January 8, I o'clock, at the home of Mrs. J. Bertram cott, 1712 Spruce street.

and Mrs. Henry Reese Hoyt, of New k, have issued invitations for the marriage beir daughter, Miss Elizabeth Sherman Hoyt. omas Harris Frothingham, son of Mr. and Theodore Frothingham, of 1709 Locust et, this city. The wedding will take place Wednesday, January 20, at 3:30 o'clock, in Bartholomew's Church, New York. A breakwill be given after the ceremony by Mrs. red Miller Hoyt and Mr. and Mrs. Henry so Hoyt, at 934 5th avenue, New York, at

as Margot E. Scull, daughter of Mr. and William Eilis Scull, will be guest of honor dinner to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles tt. Jr., at their home, 1809 De Lancey Place,

rs. William Coleman Freeman, of Mermald and Cherokee avenue, is spending several a in New York.

fire Mary Frances Fisher, daughter of Dr. Mrs. Henry Middleton Fisher, will be guest honor at a dance to be given by Mrs. John awalader on January 20.

m. Henry W. Jackson, of Cynwyd, has sed cards for bridge on Wednesday, January to meet Miss Florence Nelson and Mrs.

liss Dorothy Hamill, of the Blenheim, will im today from Virginia Hot Springs.

#### ALONG THE MAIN LINE VERBROOK -Miss Marie Bonner, of 6335 Sher-

llins, of Atlantic City. Jeutenant John P. Dalton, U. S. N., and Mrs.

d road, has as her guest. Miss Katherine

iton are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Shaw, of Drexel road.

ERION-Mrs. Frederick J. Poth will give a ightful musicale, followed by cards, tomorrow noon at 2 o'clock at her home on Highland ue for the benefit of the new Merion the of the Emergency Ald, in which Mrs. th is actively interested.

many prominent Merion women are work-for the new branch, which was organized winter by the women members of the Mer-Civic Association, a large number of guests expected at the Poth house tomorrow. It also hoped that many others will attend the icale and become interested in the good work accomplished by the Merion branch.

he musical program promises to be very studing. Mrs. Jessie Vaugh Eynon will preat the piano; Mrs. Leonard Payne will be lisist; Mrs. John Dunn, Jr., and Miss Ida C. ig will sing contralto solos; Mrs. William Capon and Miss Julia Z. Robinson will der soprano solos. A soprano solo and violin a will be rendered by Miss Robinson and Payne, with Mrs. Eynon at the plano.

fra. Poth will be assisted in receiving by Mrs. ward W. Bok, Mrs. John W. H. Brooks. John Dull, Mrs. George F. Young, Mrs. and Ehrlich, Mrs. Edmund Ludwig, Mrs. R. Albert Mosebach, Mrs. Lillian Schmidt and W. Kenneth Hunter. Mrs. Poth will leave erlly for Atlantic City, where she will spend remainder of the winter.

anmone -The following children will take the charming little play to be given ar afternoon, January 22, at Mrs. John Lafore's house on Wister road for the beneof the Belgian Relief Fund: Misses Elizabeth wan, Ellizabeth Foster, Anna Harvey, Marst Stevenson, Maria Flannery, Helen La-Crathia Flannery, Phyllis Clare Flannery, Foster, John A. Lafore, Jr., Dickey or Thomas Harvey, Frank Foster, Jack er, Robert Lafors, Charles Howson, John 100, Curtis Harvey and Robert Lafore. 8. Lafore is arranging the play, and is dunisted by Mrs. John Harvey, Mrs. Henry a Flannery and Mrs. Charles Howson.

# CERMANTOWN

it F. P. Mitbhard, who has been visiting dughter, Mrs. Burton Etherington, at her of a Lincoln Drive, will return to her home manne N. Y., on Friday.

Linie Rodgers, of Allen lane, will enterthe members of her bridge club today.

Walli Night Costume dance will be given I it the Germantown Automobile Club. lose in charge are Mr. and Mrs. Fredults, Mr. and Mrs. Kern Dodge, Mr. Warles Carter, Miss Edith Hartwell, In Edward W. Deakin, Mr. and Mrs. Blioppard, Dr. Henry W. Gray, M. Some of those who will seem!

are Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Putnam Kellogg. Mr. and Mrs. A. Raymond Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Dripps, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Largelere, Miss Ethel Altemus Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. L. Albert Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Priestman, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Well, John Cornellus, Frederick VanDyke, S. H. Cregar, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Hartwell.

Miss Dorothea Schell, of 422 West School House lane, gave a luncheon yesterday in honor of her bridesmaids. White roses and greens were used as a centrepiece and the guests included Mrs. William Nesbit, of Wilmington; Miss Gertrude Kling, Miss Madeline Hensel, Miss Gladys Edwards, Miss Emily Mosfly,

Mrs. Carl Williams, of School House lane and Greene street, left yesterday for New York, to be gone several days.

Friends of Edward Pugh will be glad to hear that he is recovering from a severe attack of malarial fever. Mr. Pugh is at present at his mother's home on East Penn street.

Millard F. Harmer, of the Sunnicliffe, entertained his sister and niece, Miss Carrie Harmer and Miss Estelle Harmer, of Germantown, over the holidays.

Mrs. Walter S. Bauer, of 642 Lincoln drive, entertained informally yesterday afternoon. Her guests were Mrs. George Crofton, Mrs. Harvey Cressman Mrs. W. G. Gibbs, Mrs. J. Neufeld, Mrs. Courses Thompson, Mrs. Raynor Bowman, Mrs. John O. Taxis, Miss Florence Irey, Mrs. Walter Miller, Mrs. J. H. Chadwick, Mrs. Morton Illman, Mrs. Louis Biggard, Mrs. Wesley Flanagan, Miss Dripps and Mrs. Paul Voight.

#### ALONG THE READING

There will be a musicale at the Old York Road Country Club for the members and their friends on Saturday evening, January 16, at 8:20 o'clock. An attractive program has been arranged, in which the following well-known artists will take part: Miss Helen Beatrice Reed, harpist; Miss Jeanette Brommell, elocutionist, and Joseph G. Sullivan, baritone. Mrs. John S. Gayley, Mrs. Frederick T. Whetherbee and Mrs. Harry DePuy will act as hostesses of

Mr. and Mrs. H. Walter Foster, of 111 Walnut street, Jenkintown, are being congratulated on the birth of a son on Thursday, December 31.

Miss Harriet Read, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Read, of Sharpless and Mountain avenues. Melrose Park, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, has returned to school at Quincy Manor, near Wallaceton, Mass.

Yesterday was "ladies' day" at the Old York Road Country Club. Luncheon was served at 1 o'clock, followed by cards at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Clinton W. Morgan and Miss Caroline Thomson acted as hostesses of the day.

J. Harris Tyre, of 6716 North 8th street. Oak Lane, entertained the members of the Shakespeare Club at his home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hucknell, of 5008 North Camac street, Logan, will entertain at "500" January 16. The guests will include Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Oldroyd, Mr. and Mrs. John Stortz and Mr. and Mrs. William Kuhn, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Fogel, of 4914 North 11th street, Logan, entertained at dinner last evening, when their guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. Charlesworth, Miss Anna Charlesworth, William Fabley and Harry M. Young.

This evening Mr. and Mrs. Fogel will entertain at a dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Pollick and Miss Sidney Pollick.

# WEST PHILADELPHIA

Among the children who belong to the Saturday afternoon dancing class held in the Philomusian Club are Miss Pauline Horstman, Miss Elizabeth McHugh, Miss Mae Young, Miss Constance O'Hara, Miss Helen McMahon, Miss Anna Coll, Miss Constance Connelly, Miss Josephine Connelly, Miss Frances Wilson, Miss Anna Murphy, Miss Mae Woods, Miss Bessie McKeown, Miss Beatrice Hare, Miss Elizabeth Dawden, Miss Miriam Cross, Miss Phylis Colgan, Miss Julie Thompson, Miss Hildegarde Ginler, Miss Priscilla Parry, Miss Miriam Clark, Miss Eleanor Clark, James Jennings, George Lucas, Richard Horstman, William McHugh, Henry Clark, Fred Coll. Francis Coll. Howard McCalla, George Mullen, Joseph Murphy, Francis Kelly, James Dowen, Benjamin Bush, Robert Beneter, George Turner, Albert Latham, Jack Latham. The class is being taught by Regis McNamee and Daniel A. Hogan, two former Mask and Wig stars.

Charles H. Lafferty, of 3513 Spring Garden street, announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss Marie Gertrude Lafferty, to William J. McAvoy, of Delaware College.

Mr. McAvoy was graduated from Lafayette College, Easton, Pa., in 1908. He was prominent in athletics during his college course and played baseball, football and basketball. He is a member of the Phi Delta Theta Fraternity.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Montgomery have issued invitations for a dinner on Friday, January 15, at their home, 439 South 44th street.

Mrs. Francis J. Kelly and Mrs. John A. Calhan were hostesses at the first of a series of thez dansants which are to be held every Tuesday afternoon, from 3 to 8 o'clock, at the Philomusian Club.

Mrs. William Duncan, of the Sedgley Apartments, 45th and Pine streets, entertained at "500" yesterday afternoon.

#### CHESTER AND VICINITY Mr. and Mrs. George L. Zell, of Ridley Park, are visiting friends in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gray Knowles, of Washington, D. C., were entertained during the past week by Mr. and Mrs. William G. Price, Jr., of West 7th atrest.

Miss Anne Read, who has been the guest of Mrs. E. C. Burton, of East 13th street, for a fortnight, has returned to her home at Albany.

Miss Margaret Suyder has returned to her home at West Chaster, after being entertained for a wesk by Mrs. I. R. Hall, of West 20

Mrs. John Dunion has returned to har home on East Broad street, after spending a week with relatives at Westville, N. J.



MISS BLANCHE MOYER Photo by Marceau Miss Moyer's engagement to B. Wilbur Hendrickson, of New York, has been recently announced

#### SOUTH PHILADELPHIA

Daniel Mohan, of 1527 Ritner street, entertained last evening at a dinner-dance, in honor of his daughter, Miss Agnes Virginia Mohan. Maldenhair ferns and fragrant cedar were combined with Killarney roses in the decorations. Their guests were Miss Sarah Love, Miss Margaret Farrell, Miss Anna Robinson, Miss Helen Seckinger, Miss Isabelle Drummond, Miss Marie Mohan, Miss Gertrude Boyle, of Chester; Thomas Robinson, Lawrence Carlin. Frank Schmucke, Walter Jackson, Frank Callen, Jack Apper, Lawrence Timmons, of Chester, and John Love.

Edward Jarvis, of South 20th street, will entertain a swimming party this evening at Asher's, 22d and Walnut streets, in honor of Miss Bessie M. Murray, of 62 East Johnson

Dr. and Mrs. W. H Manning, of 1327 Morris street, announce the engagement of their daughter Amelia and A. T. Hackman, of 911 West Somerset street. Mr. Hackman was gradnated from the arts class of the University of Pennsylvania in 1913.

#### TIOGA

Mrs. Robert Klee, Jr., of 1228 West Allegheny avenue, will give a luncheon today at her home. Yellow and white narcissi will be combined in the decorations. The favors will be corsage bouquets arranged in old-time fashion. Her guests will include Mrs. George Lindsay, Mrs. Ralph Nasel, Miss Florence Shaw, Miss Kathryn Ennis, Miss Edna Gaw, Mrs. J. Wilcox, Miss Elsie Lawrence, Miss Mary Pletcher, Miss Elsie Krouse, Mrs. Robert Bartholomew, Mrs. C. Warren Rainear

Mrs. Charles P. Lower, of 2342 West Tioga street, is giving a luncheon today in celebration of the 19th anniversary of the organization of her sewing club. The members are Mrs. Charles J. Meixner, Mrs. Charles Blumhard, Mrs. George Felitz, Mrs. Clarence M. Taylor, Mrs. David Rentschler, Mrs. George Carnan, Mrs. Minnie Lipsett and Mrs. Charles Hatcher. There has been no change in the list since the first meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mathieu, of 1605 West Allegheny avenue, will leave during the week to spend the remainder of the winter in Florida.

Mrs. P. H. Altman, of 2208 West Tioga strest, and her daughter, Mrs. M. B. Arndt, are visiting friends in New York.

Mrs. Isaac B. Stein, of 1837 West Eric avenue, has returned from Atlantic City, where she was the guest of Mrs. A. R. Wart.

# FRANKFORD

Mrs. Joseph Keegan, of Arrott street, will be hostess at a large dinner and dance Thursday evening in honor of Miss Emily Marie Stokes, of St. Paul, Minn. Miss Stokes will leave for Maryland Saturday morning, where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. L. Manfield, of Annapolis.

Under the auspices of the Woman's Home Misalonary Society, Miss Gertrude G. Russum will give an illustrated lecture on "Sicily and the Land of the Mosques and Minarets" at the Rehoboth Methodist Episcopal Church, Saturday evening. January 9. Miss Russum's talk will be supplemented by a number of slides illustrating her personal experience in the war zone of Europe.



FRODAY will be rather a day of rest, between I the Lippincott dance last night and the Bidale dance tomorrow night, although several matrons have defled the wee hours and will give parties in honor of the debutantes. Miss Katherine Ashburst Bowie, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bayard Bowle, of 1710 Walnut street, one of the most feted debutantes of this season, will be guest of honor at a theatre party, followed by supper tonight, at the Ritz-Cariton, to be given by her parents. There will be 48 guests. Those who will receive with Mr. and Mrs. Bowie and Miss Bowie are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brinton Coxe and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs Grahame Wood, of 2211 St. James Place, will give a theatre party, followed by supper, in honor of Miss Mary Wood Bally, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Winter Hally. Covers will be laid for 16.

8. Pemberten Hutchinson

Miss Mary McNesly, daughter of George Mc-Nesty, will be guest of honor at a dance to be given at the Philadelphia Country Club by her grandmother, Mrs. W. F. McNesly. A number of the season's debutantes and younger danning

# WEDDINGS

WEDDING of interest to Germantown and A the Main Line society will take place this evening, when Miss Eleanor Bouvier Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bouvier Peterson, and Reeves Bordman Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alba Bordman Johnson, will be married in the Summit Presbyterian Church, by the Rev. P. R. D. Bennett, pastor of the church, at 7 o'clock. The wedding will be a quiet one, and only relatives and intimate friends will be present. The bride, who will be given in marriage by her father, will wear a gown of ivory-white satin, trimmed with pearls, and will carry a shower bouquet of lilles of the valley. She will wear a pearl pendant worn by her greatgrandmother on her wedding day. Miss Ruthanna Johnson will be the mald of honor. She will wear pale pink chiffon and carry a bouquet of pink roses and ferns. Robert E. Peterson will act as best man, and the ushers will be Horace P. Austin and George Henry Woodruff. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, after an extended wedding tour, will be at home after February 15 at 403 Lincoln drive, Germantown.

# HUBER-HAYS

One of the first weddings of the New Year will take place tonight, when Miss Mary Anthony Hays, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allison Hays, will become the bride of Joel Cooke Huber, son of Mrs. John Y. Huber, of 1419 North Broad street. The ceremony will be solemnized very quietly at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hays, on Sherwood road, Overbrook, and will be witnessed only by the immediate families. The Rev. William R. Turner, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, will perform the

Miss Marjory Edwards, cousin of the bride, will be maid of honor, and Mr. Huber will have his brother, John Y. Huber, Jr., as best man. Charles Willing Huber, another brother of the bridegroom, and William Allison Hays, brother of the bride, will not as ushers.

Following the ceremony there will be a small reception from 8 until 10 o'clock. After a wedding trip to the Bermudas, Mr. and Mrs. Huber will be at home at the Clinton, after February L

# NORTH PHILADELPHIA

Miss Marian Mansbach, of 1433 Diamond street, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mansbach, of Riverside Drive, New York, where she will be extensively entertained for the next 10 days.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Catholic Home for Destitute Children will hold the monthly card party Monday afternoon, January 11, at the Catholic Home for Girls. 29th street and Allegheny avenue. Mrs. Walter A. Nash, of 4035 North Broad street, will be the hostess of the afternoon.

The Philadelphia School of Design for Women, Broad and Master streets, will give a very attractive the dansant on Saturday, from 3:30 to 7 o'clock, in the Assembly Room, the decorations of which has recently been completed. The beauty of the artistic combination of green and gold in the room is enhanced by the electric lighting, which has taken the place of the old-fashioned gas arrangements. Electric lights have been placed in all the corridors, which, as well as the assembly room, will be banked with palms and ferns for the entertainment. The guests will be received by the president, Miss Emily Sartain. Those who will assist in receiving and pouring tra will be Miss Harriet Sartain, Miss Florence Einstein, Mrs. Cosmos Balano, Miss Lucille Howard, Miss Emma Buckman, of the faculty, and Miss Clara V. Richardson, Mrs. C. B. Varnum and Miss Sarah J. Harvey, officers of the Alumnae Association.

Miss Kathryn Querns and Miss Jennie Querns. of first and Turner streets, entertained at "500" yesterday afternoon. Their guests were Miss Mary Weldon, Mrs. David Timmons. Mrs. Ellwood A. Steelman, Mrs. Zane Hofman, Mrs. Victor Beck, Mrs. Raymond Brooks, Miss Alice McFadden, Miss Edna McFadden, Mrs. William Voorhees and Mrs. Carl Schaeffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Burk, of 1337 North Bread street, and their daughter, Miss Ethel Ruth Burk, whose engagement to William C. William son, of Oak Lane, was recently announced, will leave early in February for their winter home in Florida.

Miss Piorance Nalson will be guest of honor at a matinee party and tea at the Bellevue-Stratford Thursday afternoon, given by Miss Leuna Eurn. The other guests will be Mrs. Ratph Harcourt, Mrs. Roy Manwarring, Mrs. Andrew Webb and Miss Pauline Rusolph

# BEST THOUGHT OF AMERICA

#### Digest of the Magazines

(1) Atlantic Monthly - "Letters of Emily Dickinson.

(2) American Magazine-"Hats Off to France. (3) Century-" 'That Day' in Paris." (4) Current Opinion-"Has War Killed

the Woman's Rights Movement in Europe?" (5) Woman's Journal-"Recognition in

History Needed." (6) Metropolitan - "The Women's Invasion of the East."

(7) Town Topics-"Saunterings." (8) New Republic - "As the Wind Listeth.

#### WOMEN

Woman's place, as in the home, receives little recognition from the magazines as compared with the interest in her activities and tendencies. Of 14 articles in the current magazines, concerned wholly or in part with women, only one deals with the woman of the old regime. Thirteen portray the woman of today. Two of these concern women and the war. Four take up special phases of the modern woman's life, her clubs. her business life, her style of dressing, her morals. It is significant as indicating the serious and unabated interest in the abstract discussion of the woman question, that half the articles-seven of them-are about feminism and suffrage.

#### Fragrance of the Past

Woman's increasing activities have made publicity about her so much a matter of course that it is difficult for us today to realize the painfulness, for her, of first breaking into that bright white light, or how great is the distance that women have covered, even in the last decade.

The name of Emily Dickinson, a poet of only the last generation, stands out conspicuously among those of American women of genius. Her poetry, published after her death, has a delicately chiseled beauty, which has won her lasting recognition. But her life was that of a recluse, and she could never brook any hint of notoriety. Her niece, Martha Dibkinson Blanchi, of Amherst, has gathered into an article (1) some quaint relies of her aunt-whimsical notes, virginal fancies, trenchant epigrams. She writes of Miss Dickinson:

Her love for humanity was unfaltering and she speaks for all lovers when she writes, "Twilight touches Amherst with his yellow glove. Miss me sometimes, dear, no most occasions, but in the seldoms of the

mind."

She never showed to her own family what she wrote. They never dared ask to see, Her timidity awed their love, and New England reserve completed the deadlock. Once, and only once, my mother published a poem of hers incognito, and when she showed it to Aunt Emily in the durkness of entire privacy she was terrified for the result of her experiment—the little white moth fluttering helplessly, all a-tremble, ready to die of the experience and be found on the floor next morning a mere hint of winged dust.

She seemed to know the world by intuition, but she shrank from its knowing her: not from any feeling of impotence, not be-

not from any feeling of impotence, not be-cause she was deprived of anything or at any disadvantage, but from a flerce unrea-soning instinct like that which sends the soft, bright-eyed wild things flying from us

# Woman and War

We are sated with the horrors of war in big figures. It is the individual story, told barely and simply, that leaves a mist in the eyes. Will Irwin tells such a story (2):

Where all must suffer, it is ignoble to inwhere all must suiter, it is ignore to in-dulge grief publicly. A little salesgirl in a Parisian cigar shop was engaged; they should have been married in the autumn. The war took him away. A communicative American used to chat with her as he bought his morning cigar. He knew her

"Any news?" he asked one morning, and then caught full sight of her face and atopped. "Non, monsieur, pas de nouvelles." she said, and looked quickly down at her work. Then he noticed for the first time that she was sewing a black ribbon on her hat.

" 'That Day' in Paris' (3) was the second of August, the day of mobilization, when in one long, sad day Paris was stripped of her men and left a stricken city of weeping women. Estelle Loomis describes it with a rather feminine superlativeness, but giving vivid pictures of the desolation and grief. She had gone to the Gare de l'Est, where the soldiers were entraining:

I saw those partings at the gale, those kisses and embraces; I saw those men show their little military books and disappear, many of them forever. It was often the husband who broke down, not the wife; and husband who broke down, not the wife; and I didn't miss that woman who clung to the lips of that man till she had to be pulled away. And I watched that mother, too, crowding her way back to the fence to call out, "Charles, Charles!" and hand her son his forgotten medicine. And the lady who pulled off her ring and screamed, the prostitute who wept down her paint and fainted. Two women, strangers to each other, turned away, both weeping. One was a motherly looking old soul, gray; the other was a smartly dressed Parisienne. A movement in the crowd—a big man elbowing his way in—brought them together face to face. The big man passed by me. When next I saw them the girl's arm was around the old them the girl's arm was around the old lady's waist.

# Cassandra and the War

It is quite a different phase of the war that Dora Marsden presents in a gloomy and foreboding prophecy. Miss Marsden, once prominent in settlement and suffrage work, "advanced" out of that stage to founding a very radical weekly, The Freewoman, Current Opinion quotes the following from a recent article of hers in The Egotist, another radical English weekly (4):

The war-still the war-has brought the wordy contest about women's rights to an abrupt finish, and only a few sympathetic words remain to be spoken over the feminist

Every form of self-responsible power de-mands—not last, but first—capable physical self-defense. One might venture to say it would be impossible to find in these islands would be impossible to find in these islands any "advanced" woman who has not felt herself made into something of a fool by the unequivocal evidence as to the position of women presented by the war, not merely in the countries actually devastated by the war, but here in England. They find that they may busy themselves with efforts to protect their less "protected" sisters; they may have the honor of being allowed to share in their country's defense by dint of knitting socks; or serve, as one ungaliant share in their country's defense by dint of initing socks; or serve, as one ungaliant soldier put it, by providing one of the "horrors of war" as a Red Cross nurse. In the war area itself they form part, along with the rest of the property, of the spoils of the conquered. One cannot easily refrain from the inference that, though they have weakened the pull of the old-womanly competence, the "advanced women" have done very little in the way of furnishing the necussary foundations for its successor.

# A Peaceful General

General Rosalie Jones, leader of the auffrage marches on Albany and Washington a couple of yours ago, is now turning her attention to more sintle interests. She is chairman of a committee to bring our school history text books up to date. In an interview (5) she says;

view (5) she says;

Most of the histories dismiss woman suffrage with a short paragraph or a footnote. These usually say: "The vote has been given to women in two—sometimes they say three—States, but they have not made as much use of the opportunity as they might." The Century Company has offered to let me furnish them two pages of suffrage facts to be incorporated in an American history it will brick out in March. In one history now used in the New York public schools, a revised edition published this year, a brief footnote states that "women now vote in three States, and the movement has assumed some force." This when women are voting in 12 States.

A history by Professor Muzzey, of Columbia University, covers the suffrage movement in a patronizing paragraph, saying that "women vote in several States." It devotes half a page to the San Francisco earthquaice.

Sonia Levien, writing of "The Women's

Sonia Levien, writing of "The Women's Invasion of the East" (6), calls attention to the fact that the suffragists are to turn eastward from their western campaigns and tri-

come up for vote in Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts and Iowa. She quotes a letter signed by the Brewers and Wholesale Liquor Dealers' Association which was widely circulated in Oregon previous to a suffrage election, and which seems to back up a charge frequently made by suf-

umphs, and that next year the issue will

fragists. The letter reads in part: It will take 50,000 votes to defeat woman suffrage. There are 2000 retailers in Oregon. That means that every retailer must himself bring in 25 votes election day. Every retailer can get 25 votes. Besides his employes, he has his grocer, his butcher, his landlord, his laundryman and every person he does business with. If every man in the business will do this we will win.

#### Crinoline Crinkles

True to its tradition of saying whatever it pleases, Town Topics' Saunterer has this to say of tendencies in the fashions (7):

say of tendencies in the fashions (7):

Not the crinoline, please! We have endured more or less patiently the vagaries in woman's dress, from sheath skirts to trousers, but we draw the line at crinoline, the zeppelin of dress. The steady conservation and admirable courtesy of the men, while their wives and daughters—and even their mothers and grandmothers—have been stripping themselves to the skin for public inspection, deserve a better reward than the return of the eugenic enceinte style, of which a frantic poetess wrote: a frantic poetess wrote: 'It tips up behind, it tips up before;

Can't sit in a seat, can't get through a door." In a dramatic criticism, Francis Hackett gives a semiphilosophical treatise on women and morals and asks a pertinent question as to the relation between relaxing standards of morals off and on the stage. He writes (8):

morals off and on the stage. He writes (8):

There was a time in the American theatre when the dramatist alluded to an "unchaste" woman as a rhetorician alludes to the behemoth. In France, it was pleasantly allowed, women graded anywhere from a faint pink to a scarlet too hot for naked eyes, but in America women were either as innocent as snow or as unmentionable as lepers. That a woman could "transgress" was admitted, but she properly stood on an island of menogamy surrounded by an ocean of disapproval, and that ocean was infested by every horror of the deep, serpents, sharks and swordfish, beasts to which the male was more or less immune, but to which the female was a carrion to the crow.

more or less immune, but to which the fe-male was as carrion to the crow.

And now, unashamed on the American stage, appears the open record of a woman who has no more prejudice about chastity as such than a broker has about loans. In "The Song of Songs" the four walls of as-sumptions about chastity are fallen com-pletely away.

# AMUSEMENTS

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